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Major General W. E. Todd, USAF Deputy Director Joint Intelligence Group The Joint Staff The Joint Chiefs of Staff Washington, D. C.

Dear General Todd:

It is with sincere regret that the Central Intelligence Agency has learned of your impending departure from the post of Beputy Director, Joint Intelligence Group. On behalf of the Agency, I should like to assure you of our very deep and sincere appreciation of your thoughtfulness, kindness, and constant helpful cooperation during your tenure of office with the Joint Intelligence Group. The most cordial official and personal relationships that have existed have served a great part in forwarding the common work of both of our organizations.

Also on behalf of the Central Intelligence Agency, please let me extend our sincerest wishes for a most successful and happy career in your new post.

Very sincerely yours,

Signed & dispatched thru ER 20/3/49

R. H. Hillenkoetter Rear Admiral, USE Director of Central Intelligence

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